



Brunswick Reformed Church

Where the love of Jesus is transforming lives....



We at BRC believe the love of Jesus brings transformation:

INWARD - As we experience the love of Jesus together in worship!

UPWARD - As we grow in grace and truth through small groups & Bible studies!

OUTWARD - As we participate together in the mission of Jesus by serving others and sharing our faith!

Sunday August 27, 2023

Lead Pastor- Dan Toot
Associate Pastor- Jay Carroll

Worship Services

Sunday 9am & 10:45am • In-person & Online
BrunswickReformed.church • 3535 Grafton Road • Brunswick, OH 44212

Welcome to Brunswick Reformed Church's worship celebrations. To make our mutual experience more enjoyable today please:

1. **Relax** - At BRC you can rest assured that you will not be embarrassed, singled out, or put on the spot.

2. **Fill Out a Connection Card** - These can be dropped in the offering boxes or you can scan the QR code and fill it out online. The information won't be misused, and will help us know who's been here. It's also a great way to drop a note to, or request a contact from, a staff member.



3. **Ask for Prayer** - If you have a prayer concern to share, write it on a yellow prayer card. Give completed forms to an usher or the pastor before the service begins.

4. **Know There Are Options for Children –**

- The small room in the right rear corner has rocking chairs where little ones can be rocked, quieted or nursed.
- We have an excellent nursery for ages 0-3 at the far end of our education wing.

5. **Do Not Feel Obligated to Give** - If you are a first-time guest, please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. This is a time when members and regular attendees honor God by giving to his work through this church. Let today be our gift to you.

6. **For more information :** BrunswickReformed.church



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Who is BRC? We are a member of the Reformed Church in America, a Protestant denomination that goes back to the Reformation period in Europe when the Church was "reformed" according to the Word of God. We are a mixture of Christians from many denominational backgrounds, all seeking to grow in our spiritual maturity as we live by faith with Jesus as our forgiver and leader.



Continue faithful in prayer for those with ongoing health concerns: the Besida family, Greg Blausner, Wendell Blausner, Biagio Boytim, Rick Demeter, Sue George, Nancy Hanwell, Rose Murray, Eileen Raich, Gini Reinke, Margaret Zapotechne & Steve Zapotechne. Continue to pray for our military personnel.

For more details and prayer concerns, see our eprayer emails. If you do not receive these and would like to, please email Michelle Morgan at michelle@b-r-c.org to be added to the list.



Our offering for 8/20/23 was \$7,357.34 towards the annual budget.
The month-to-date total offering is \$24,062.24
Monthly budget-to-date is \$24,735.84

The Teachings of Jesus



This Fall, Brunswick Reformed Church will be devoting all of our small groups to studying the Teachings of Jesus. We have already been learning from Jesus this Summer by studying his difficult sayings, but in the Fall we will be looking at all of his teachings from the book of Matthew. This will run for 10 weeks, and we will have many different groups studying the same curriculum. We are a church where the love of Jesus transforms lives, and I'm so excited to see all the life transformations that take place when we study what Jesus taught all of us together!

The link to sign up for one of the groups!



<u>Day and Time</u>	<u>Where is it meeting</u>	<u>Who is facilitating</u>
Monday Nights at 6:30	BRC Youth Room	Jim Niedermyer
Tuesday Nights at 7:00	BRC Youth Room	Don Poest
Wednesday Mornings at 10:00	BRC Green Room	Gina Koch
Wednesday Nights at 7:15	BRC Green Room	Adam and Melissa Smith
Wednesday Nights at 7:00	Taddeo Home 3763 Mayflower Oval	Pastor Jay
Friday Nights at 6:00	BRC Green Room (with childcare)	Jason and Alexa Palmer

Welcome to Worship!

- *Heart Preparation
- *Time of Praise
- *Prayer
- *Message
- *Announcements/Prayer Concerns/ Congregational Prayer
(giving of our offerings)
- *Time of Praise
- *Benediction/ The Lord's Blessing



Next week we will be celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion at both services 9am & 10:45am.

Heidelberg Catechism

Question 56. What do you believe concerning "the forgiveness of sins"?

Answer. I believe that God, because of Christ's atonement, will never hold against me any of my sins nor my sinful nature which I need to struggle against all my life. Rather, in his grace God grants me the righteousness of Christ to free me forever from judgement.

What's happening this week-

Today:

- 9:00am **Worship Service**
10:30am **Pilgrim's Progress class**, Red Room
10:45am **Worship Service**
11:00am **Children's Church PreK-3rd**, Green Room- will be dismissed by the pastor from worship service

Monday:

- 6:30pm **Titus 2-The Fruit of the Spirit**, Green Room
6:30pm **Men's Bible Study**, Youth room

Tuesday:

- 6:30pm **REFIT®**, fellowship area or outside

Wednesday:

- 9:30am **Titus 2 –The Fruit of the Spirit**, Red Room
6:00pm **Rev & Flow®**, Sanctuary
7:00pm **Bell Choir**, Room 16 off kitchen
7:15pm **Financial Peace study**, Red Room

Thursday:

- 7:15pm **Worship Team practice**, Sanctuary

Saturday:

- 9:00am **REFIT®**, Fellowship area or outside
1:00pm **GriefShare**, Green Room



THAT PLACE
For Teens

Our Mission Minded Focus for August is **That Place for Teens** here in Brunswick. They are a non-denominational organization that is trying to meet the unique needs of teens and their families by demonstrating the love of Christ.

BRC has decided to volunteer to provide an after school "meal" for 15-20 people on the second Tuesday of the month. The time frame of this meal is approximately 2:30pm arrival and you can be done by 4:00pm. If you are interested in providing one of those meals, you can sign up with the QR code or this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0945acac29a4f94-brchelping#/>



[AFTER SCHOOL MEALS INSTRUCTIONS](#)

If you want to know more about That Place for Teens, you can plan on going to their open house today from noon – 2pm at 1480 Pearl Rd #9 and check out their website <https://thatplace4teens.com/>



Today is also the open house next door from 1-2pm and the house dedication from 2-230. All are invited to come along to either. Also, a large thank you to those that have signed up to bring goodies today!

LOST & FOUND



The materials on the carts in the fellowship area are yours for the taking today. Anything left over will be donated



If you are interested in playing Fantasy Football this year, please see or email Pastor Jay today as we are drafting this Thursday night.